

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant(s): MORRISON, Allan D. Examiner: Siefke, Samuel P.
Title: **STORAGE CONTAINER FOR BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE AND METHOD FOR
ANALYZING THE SAMPLE**

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION, 37 CFR § 1.116

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To the Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 24, 2008, the time period for response thereto being set to expire April 24, 2009, by virtue of the Petition for One-Month Extension of Time filed herewith, Applicant requests favorable reconsideration in view of the following amendment and accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Applicant's Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith.